1 Ronald C. Specter, Esq. (SBN: 118417) Michael H. Artinian, Esq. (SBN: 203443) 2 SPECTER & WILLOUGHBY, LLP 4675 MacArthur Court, Suite 1150 3 Newport Beach, CA 92660 Telephone: (949) 833-9400 4 Facsimile: (949) 833-9425 5 Attorneys for Defendant, CIRCLÉ K STORES INC. 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 VICKI WEST, individually and on behalf Case No. CIV.S-04-0438 WBS GGH of all others similarly situated, 11 [Proposed] ORDER GRANTING CIRCLE K Plaintiff, STORES INC.'S AMENDED EX PARTE 12 APPLICATION FOR A PROTECTIVE ORDER, AND SETTING JOY POWELL'S 13 v. **DEPOSITION FOR JUNE 9, 2005** 14 CIRCLE K STORES, INC., a foreign corporation, Hon. WILLIAM B. SHUBB 15 Defendant. Courtroom 5 16 17 TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD HEREIN: 18 The amended ex parte application submitted by Defendant Circle K Stores Inc. for a 19 protective order allowing Joy Powell's deposition to take place within 10 days after the discovery 20 cut-off deadline came on for hearing via telephonic conference call before this Court. Charles Jones, 21 Esq. appeared for Plaintiff. Michael Artinian, Esq. appeared for Defendant. 22 After consideration of the papers and arguments of counsel, and all other matters presented to 23 the Court, and conferring by telephone with counsel for both sides IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that 24 Defendant's Amended Ex Parte Application is GRANTED as follows: 25 The deposition of Joy Powell shall commence on June 9, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. in defense 26 counsel's office located at 4675 MacArthur Court, Suite 1150, Newport Beach, CA 92660. 27

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Plaintiff's counsel also indicated to the Court that Plaintiff will be submitting a motion to the

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Court requesting leave to amend the complaint to add new class representatives. The Court has
made no rulings with regard to Plaintiff's anticipated motion to amend the complaint. However, in
the event the Court grants Plaintiff's anticipated motion for leave to amend the Complaint to add
new class representatives, Defendant shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity to conduct discovery
as to the additional class representatives.
IT IS SO ORDERED.
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Dated: May 18, 2005 Nilliam Br Shubb
WILLIAM B. SHUBB
APPROVED AS TO FORM:
/s/
Charles Jones, Esq. COUNSEL FOR PLAINTIFF
COUNSEL FOR FLAINTIFF
<u>/s/</u> Michael H. Artinian, Esq.
COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT
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